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## Recreation

The following centennial proposal is certified as eligible for Centennial Challenge funding consideration in fiscal year 2008. Funding for the Centennial Challenge requires legislation.

## Creation of New Connector Trail at Washington's Headquarters Site

Location: Valley Forge National Historical Park

Partner(s): Friends of Valley Forge Park

Partner Website: www.friendsofvalleyforge.org

Total Cost: \$100,000 Proposal #137730

**Summary:** The creation of a trail that links the newly renovated George Washington's Headquarters area with the Valley Creek Trail and Joseph Plum Martin multi-use trail is one of the key improvements identified in Valley Forge NHP General Management Plan. This project will protect important natural and cultural resources, improve safety for visitors and staff, disperse visitor use and increase connectivity with surrounding communities and trail systems. Valley Forge is a vibrant recreational park that exemplifies the Centennial Challenge goal that National Parks become superior recreational destinations where visitors have fun, explore nature and history, find inspiration, and improve health and wellness. This project specifically works to build an outdoor recreation network accessible to all Americans.

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